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Management Method, Storage :  
Medium and Program :  
Transmission Apparatus :

**Letter**

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Sir:

In response to the "Notice To File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application" mailed April 16, 2001 attached is the Declaration and Power of Attorney. The Assignment is also enclosed at this time.

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Respectfully submitted,

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